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PART IV.
OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 52nd Saturday in 1911 (30th December 1911).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1911									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.														
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	...	...	...	31	91	...	...	...	...				
„ City & Taluk ...	...	...	...	04	29	01	37	37	— 8	36		Seers	Seers	Seers
Hoskote ...	...	...	...	03	23	08	34	69	—11	61				
Dodballapur ...	...	...	...	06	21	60	32	15	—10	55	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·67
Nelamangala ...	...	...	...	02	28	05	30	55	— 2	50				
Kankanhalli ...	...	...	...	06	35	44	32	61	+ 2	83	Ragi	13·00	13·00	14·40
Magadi ...	...	...	...	04	27	36	34	30	— 6	94	Kulthi	15·75	14·00	...
Channapatna ...	...	...	...	03	27	34	33	17	— 5	83	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·91
Anekal ...	...	05	...	06	30	12	37	73	— 7	61				
Devanhalli ...	...	...	...	02	29	23	33	55	— 4	32				
Closepet ...	...	...	...	03	28	74	35	92	— 7	18				
District average...	...	01	...	04	28	00	34	20	— 6	20				
KOLAR.														
Kolar ...	...	08	...	...	21	97	24	89	— 2	92				
Bowringpet ...	...	...	...	...	19	68	28	12	— 8	44	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50 to 7·00	6·50 to 7·00	7·56
Chintamani ...	...	...	...	...	24	30	26	23	— 1	93				
Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	...	18	36	30	97	—12	61				
Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	...	...	28	42	30	56	— 2	14	Ragi	12·50 to 13·00	12·50	14·63
Chikballapur ...	...	...	...	...	28	93	32	62	— 3	69				
Bagepalli ...	...	...	...	...	17	24	24	51	— 7	27				
Goribidnur ...	...	...	...	...	20	50	27	75	— 7	25	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Malur ...	...	...	...	...	24	81	30	32	— 5	51				
Srinivaspur ...	...	...	...	...	25	18	29	60	— 4	42				
Gudibanda ...	...	...	...	...	24	55	31	25	— 6	70	Kadale	9·00 to 9·50	9·00 to 9·50	8·43
District average...	...	01	...	...	23	09	28	80	— 5	71				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur ...	...	...	...	16	19	61	35	73	—16	12				
Maddagiri ...	...	...	...	01	19	86	27	82	— 7	96				
Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	...	...	...	21	56	27	03	— 5	47				
Sira ...	...	...	...	...	14	54	23	18	— 8	64	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·70
Gubbi ...	...	...	...	...	18	85	30	12	—11	27				
Tiptur ...	...	...	...	...	20	33	24	72	— 4	39	Ragi	14·00	15·00	16·27
Pavagada ...	...	...	...	...	15	88	20	40	— 4	52	Kulthi	18·00	18·00	...
Kunigal ...	...	...	...	...	20	39	28	74	— 8	35	Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·87
Koratagere ...	...	...	...	...	21	69	26	23	— 4	54				
Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	...	14	74	27	37	—12	63				
District average ...	...	...	...	02	19	75	27	14	— 7	39				

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						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	...	04	...	08	31	76	30	53	+ 1	23		
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	09	27	08	29	62	— 2	54		
	Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	08	25	83	29	38	— 3	55		
	Hunsur ...	...	...	...	03	35	15	31	56	+ 3	59		
	Yedatore ...	...	...	...	06	31	85	25	...	+ 6	85		
	Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	...	03	38	04	37	35	+ 0	69		
	Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	05	33	04	26	67	+ 6	37		
	Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	09	27	51	28	93	— 1	42		
	T.-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	08	39	61	28	32	+11	29		
	Malvalli ...	...	...	...	07	24	64	30	10	— 5	46		
	Mandya ...	...	...	...	11	26	24	28	66	— 2	42		
	Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	03	29	41	30	38	— 0	97		
	Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	...	22	32	27	11	— 4	79		
	District average...	...	...	...	06	30	19	29	51	+ 0	68		
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	...	...	...	02	33	17	35	19	— 2	02		
	Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	...	06	97	10	88	42	+ 9	28		
	Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	05	40	93	37	27	+ 3	66		
	Belur ...	...	...	...	03	40	91	40	98	— 0	07		
	Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	03	33	47	26	34	+ 7	13		
	Arsikere ...	...	...	...	05	26	17	26	57	— 0	40		
	Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	04	31	66	28	57	+ 3	09		
	Alur ...	...	...	...	01	44	12	45	58	— 1	46		
	District average...	...	...	...	04	43	52	41	11	+ 2	41		
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	...	...	...	03	30	22	33	66	— 3	44		
	Channagiri ...	...	...	...	15	27	08	28	44	— 1	36		
	Honnali ...	...	...	...	04	25	91	22	20	+ 3	71		
	Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	07	36	39	36	38	+ 0	01		
	Sorab ...	...	...	...	20	61	85	58	71	+ 3	14		
	Sagar ...	...	...	...	23	74	26	79	98	— 5	72		
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	05	94	50	100	03	— 5	53		
	Tirthahalli ...	...	...	...	03	118	72	115	94	+ 2	78		
	Kumsi ...	...	...	...	05	35	98	41	26	— 5	28		
	District average...	...	...	...	09	56	10	57	40	— 1	30		
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	...	...	...	07	39	40	36	43	+ 2	97		
	Kadur ...	...	...	...	07	19	16	22	57	— 3	41		
	Tarikere ...	...	...	...	07	31	80	35	09	— 3	29		
	Koppa ...	...	...	...	06	107	09	116	86	— 9	77		
	Mudgere ...	...	...	...	03	82	09	91	69	— 9	60		
	Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	02	76	73	68	89	+ 7	84		
	Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	128	57	139	15	—10	58		
	District average...	...	...	...	04	69	26	72	89	— 3	63		
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	18	19	47	25	49	— 6	02		
	Challakere ...	...	...	...	09	13	08	16	67	— 3	59		
	Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	09	28	32	19	69	+ 8	63		
	Holalkere ...	...	...	...	06	17	51	24	63	— 7	12		
	Davangere ...	...	...	...	14	16	29	24	94	— 8	65		
	Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	19	13	20	24	07	—10	87		
	Jagalur ...	...	...	...	28	13	23	22	06	— 8	83		
	Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	11	22	20	24	34	— 2	14		
	Harihar ...	...	...	...	...	12	55	22	69	—10	14		
	District average...	...	...	...	13	17	31	22	73	— 5	42		
	Provincial average...	...	...	...	05	35	90	39	22	— 3	32		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·72
Ragi	15·00	15·00	15·07
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·03
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·97
Ragi	16·00	17·00	16·05
Kulthi	15·00	16·00	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	7·91
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·50	9·37
Ragi	18·00	17·00	19·24
Kulthi	15·00	14·00	...
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·50	9·47
Ragi	17·00	16·00	16·95
Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·73
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	7·80
Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·60
Kulthi	18·00	18·00	...
Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·33
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·77

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·45	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Ragi is under harvest.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk for the cultivation of Vaisakhi paddy.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane, kulthi, avare, togari and castor are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Potatoes in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn:—

Ragi in parts of the Bangalore Taluk, yield from 4 to 8 annas.
Avare do do do yield 4 annas.
Paddy do Kankanhalli Taluk „ 4 do
Kulthi do Anekal Taluk „ 4 do

Avare in parts of Hoskote and Anekal Taluks; kulthi in parts of the Hoskote and Kankanhalli Taluks; haraka in parts of the Hoskote and Magadi Taluks; same and hutchellu in parts of the Magadi Taluk, and punaji paddy in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague throughout the district, except the Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing for Vaisakhi paddy, and harvesting of Karthika paddy and ragi, are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane and mulberry are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops sown.—Bengal gram in the Mulbagal Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, paddy in the Bagepalli and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and cholum in the Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield from 4 to 8 annas; paddy in the Chintamani, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas, and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 6 to 8 annas; ragi in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Bagepalli, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 4 to 12 annas; and sugar cane in the Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, and Malur Taluks and in Srinivaspur town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in a few villages in the Kolar and Bagepalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be generally healthy.